

In the specification

Please amend the specification as follows (amendments are underlined)

At page 1 of the specification, before the heading "FIELD OF THE INVENTION" please enter the following paragraph:

This application is the national phase under 35 U.S.C. §371 of PCT/EP03/11165 filed October 9, 2003, which claims the benefit of earlier-filed European Applications with the Ser. Nos. 02022389.7, filed October 10, 2002 and 02022390.5, filed October 10, 2002, which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.